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Via ECFS
Marlene H. Dortch, Secretary
Federal Communications Commission
445 12th Street, S.W.
Washington, D.C. 20554

**Re: In the Matter of Petition of USTelecom for Forbearance Pursuant to
47 U.S.C. Section 160(c); WC Docket No. 18-141; Category 1**

Dear FCC,

We live just outside White Salmon, Wa. We only have Centurylink as a choice for a dsl provider. Centurylink is probably the worst company I have ever had to deal with. From getting a new line of service installed to the monthly billing that is never correct, this has been over 2 and a half years and a dozen phone calls. You can never talk to anyone who speaks decent English and they cant even figure out that we live in Washington state, not DC. We need our local, small companies who live in our community and actually care about the service they provide to their customers. Please do all that you can to keep big businesses like Centurylink from eliminating good companies like GorgeNet.

Sincerely,

Laurie Johnston